

Oor skape hou die herders wag

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The image displays a musical score for a hymn. It consists of four staves of music, each with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The time signature is common time (C). The lyrics are written below the notes. The background of the page features a faint, artistic illustration of rolling hills and a flock of sheep grazing.

Oor ska - pe hou die her - ders wag
in vel - de oop en wyd,
toe kom 'n eng - el in die nag -
Ver - skyn in heer - lik - heid.

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Ten spyte van hul skrik en vrees,

hoor hul sy helder stem:

"Ek bring vir jul die goeie nuus -

dis vir Gods volk bestem."

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In Betlehem lê in 'n krip

die Goddelike Kind.

Die herders, in verwondering,

het daar dié Kind gevind.

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Met herders en met engele

bring ons aan God die eer.

Hy gee ons sy geliefde Seun;

laat daal sy vrede neer.